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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to an examination of the above-identified patent application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the claims as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows (a marked-up copy of the claims is attached at the end of this response):

1. (Amended) A method for controlling distribution of content over a telecommunication network comprising:

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receiving the content which includes apparatus identification information for identifying an apparatus by which the content is recorded and content identification information containing an identification code for identifying the content;

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Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-captioned application.

- Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.
- No additional fee is required.

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Claims After Amendment	No. Claims Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
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Total Claims: 24	20*	4	x 9=	\$	x 18=	\$72.00
Indep. Claims: 6	3**	3	x 42=	\$	x 84=	\$252.00
Multiple Dependent Claims Presented			+140=	\$	+280=	\$0.00
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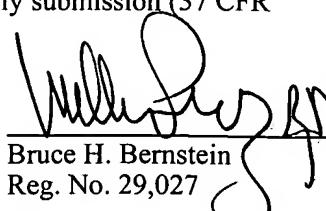
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